BEFORE THE ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD

PAKMAIL SUPERSTORE

In the Matter of

JAMES NICHOLAS YARUSSO, M.D.

Holder of License No. 31732
For the Practice of Allopathic Medicine in the State of Arizona.

CASE No: MD-06-0724A

REQUEST FOR LICENSE INACTIVATION WITH CAUSE AND ORDER INACTIVATING LICENSE WITH CAUSE.

- 1. I, JAMES NICHOLAS YARUSSO, M.D., am the holder of License No. 31732 to practice allopathic medicine in the State of Arizona.
- 2. I hereby request that, effective at 12:01 p.m. on the date of the following order, the Arizona Medical Board ("Board") inactivate with cause my license to practice allopathic medicine, number 31732. A.R.S. §32-1452(F). On June 25, 2003, I participated in the Board's Monitored Aftercare Program ("MAP"). On July 25, 2005 my MAP participation terminated. I have now relapsed.
- 3. I will not to practice medicine in the State of Arizona or any other state, territory or district of the United States or a foreign country while my Arizona license is inactive. I may not hold or maintain a controlled substance certificate with the Drug Enforcement Administration or write or refill prescriptions as long as my license is inactive. If I practice medicine while my license is inactive I will be practicing medicine without a license and/or without being exempt from licensure, a felony.
- 4. I shall not request reactivation of my license to practice medicine in the State of Arizona until I comply with all requests of the Board, which may include, but are not limited to, long-term inpatient treatment, psychiatric and psychometric evaluations, physical examination and testing, and written and/or oral competency examinations. The Board will not reactivate my license until I present evidence satisfactory to the Board, in its

sole discretion, that I am medically competent and mentally and physically able to safely 1 2 practice medicine. 3 day of September, 2006. - 4 5 6 7 8 ORDER 9 It is hereby ordered that license number 31732 held by James Nicholas Yarusso, 10 M.D. is Inactive with Cause. A.R.S. §32-1452(F) and A.A.C. R4-16-503. 11 _ day of September, 2006. 12 13 ARIZONA MEDICAL BOARD 14 15 16 Executive Director 17 ORIGINAL of the foregoing filed this day of September, 2006 with: 18 Arizona Medical Board 19 9545 East Doubletree Ranch Road Scottsdale, AZ 85258 20 21 EXECUTED COPY of the foregoing mailed this gaday of September, 2006 to: 22 James Nicholas Yarusso, M.D. 23 Address of Record 24 25